

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena

										June 2000
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<u>NEW MEXICO Southeast</u>										
Lea County East Portion	01 02	2300MST 0300MST			0	0			Flood	
The combination of a weak cold front sagging into the area, tropical moisture in place across southeast New Mexico and the Texas Permian Basin, and weak wind fields in the mid and upper levels of the atmosphere led to the development of slow moving thunderstorms that produced heavy rains and floodings across eastern portions of Lea County New Mexico. The community of Knowles reported flooding at 2320 MST.										
Eddy County Black River	05	2015MST 2300MST			0	0			Flood	
The Eddy County Sheriffs Office reported 5 feet of water on Black River Village Road.										
Eddy County Artesia	19	1330MST			0	0			Hail (0.75)	
Eddy County 15 WNW Artesia	19	1330MST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G61)	
Eddy County 15 WNW Artesia	19 22	1540MST 1845MST			0	0			Flood	
North and South Cottonwood Creeks flooded portions of CR 129, CR 95, CR 121, and CR 124. The water on Joy Road (CR 95) was up to 5 feet deep. Flooding from this event did not recede until the evening of 6/22.										
Eddy County 12 NW Artesia	19	1655MST			0	1	15K		Thunderstorm Wind (G57)	
Strong winds blew over a mobile home and rolled it approximately 25 feet. A man and a dog were inside the mobile home. The man was treated at a local hospital for a minor concussion and multiple bruises. A storage building (10x12 ft) was also blown over during the event.										
Eddy County Loving	19 20	1815MST 0400MST			0	0			Flood	
State Highway 31 at mile marker 2 was underwater.										
Eddy County 13 ENE Loving	19 20	1800MST 0500MST			0	0			Flood	
Highway 128 was flooded at Nash Draw. Remained flooded overnight.										
Eddy County 5 N Artesia	19 20	1850MST 0400MST			0	0			Flood	
Highway 438, and county roads 421, 121, and 138 were under 2-3 feet of water.										
Lea County Hobbs	19	2155MST			0	0			Hail (0.75)	
U.S. highway 285 flooded between Malaga and Loving.										
Eddy County Carlsbad	20	0200MST 0430MST			0	0			Flood	
Eddy County 14 SE Carlsbad	20	0200MST 0600MST			0	0			Flood	
1-3 feet of standing water on roads in Carlsbad.										
Scattered strong to severe thunderstorms developed across portions of Southeast New Mexico on the afternoon of the 19th and continued into the early morning of the 20th. Hardest hit was Eddy county NM, where widespread flooding occurred northwest of Artesia and from Carlsbad to Malaga.										
Eddy County 2 NE Lakewood	28 29	1800MST 0000MST			0	0			Flood	
Heavy rain produced 2-3 feet of standing water in the Lakewood and Seven Rivers area.										
Lea County Hobbs	28	2030MST 2330MST			0	0			Flood	

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<u>NEW MEXICO Southeast</u>									
			Heavy rain produced six inches to one foot of water on streets across the city of Hobbs. Low lying streets had water over the hoods of cars and up to the doors of houses. A line of slow moving thunderstorms produced flooding across portions of Lea and Eddy counties during the -evening of 6/28/00. While flood waters began to subside in the city of Hobbs before midnight, some locations remained flooded during the early morning of 6/29/00. Flooding along State Highway 207 in Eunice was still ongoing as of 1250 am MST and highways 8 and 42 remained flooded near the town of Monument at this time as well. Best estimates are that flood waters subsided by 4 am MST.						
<u>TEXAS West</u>									
Pecos County									
Coyanosa	01	0000CST			0	0			Flood
		1900CST	Flooding continued in Pecos County near the community of Coyanosa on Farm to Market Roads 1776 and 1450. Flood waters receded by 7 pm CST.						
Mitchell County 9 N Westbrook	08	1640CST			0	0			Flood
		1805CST	The Mitchell County Sheriffs Office reported 2-3 feet of water over Farm to Market Road 1229.						
Howard County 5 E Lomax to Lomax	08	1930CST			0	0			Flood
		2100CST	The Howard County Sheriffs Office reported water over the roadway just north of the intersection of Farm to Market roads 461 and 818.						
Reagan County 4 W Big Lake	08 09	2130CST 0200CST			0	0			Flood
			The Reagan County Sheriffs Office reported flooding on United States Highway 67 west of Big Lake. Roads were barricaded until flooding subsided.						
Pecos County 4 N Bakersfield	08 09	2200CST 0200CST			0	0			Flood
			Water was reported over Texas Highway 11 between Girvin and Bakersfield.						
Upton County 4 SW Rankin	08 09	2200CST 0200CST			0	0			Flood
			Water was reported over the roadways at the intersection of United States Highway 67 and Texas Highway 349.						
Reeves County Verhalen	09	1221CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Mitchell County 5 NW Colorado City	09 10	1645CST 0100CST			0	0			Flash Flood
			A number of slow moving storms dropped 3 to 5 inches of rain and caused flooding up to 3 feet deep on route 1229 between Westbrook and Colorado City. This continued until early the next morning.						
Howard County Forsan	09	1905CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Reagan County Big Lake	09 10	1930CST 0200CST			0	0			Flood
			Scattered thunderstorms organized into a line of slow moving strong thunderstorms during the evening of June 9. This line of thunderstorms, extended from south central portions of Howard County across the eastern half of Glasscock County, and then into Reagan, Pecos, and Terrell counties. Reagan County was hardest hit, where 6 and 8 inches of rainfall occurred in a few hours. Flooding in Reagan County was reported along Highway 137 and Highway 33. One motorist became stranded in rising water on Centralia Draw in a transport truck during the night, making a helicopter rescue necessary.						
Pecos County 41 SE Ft Stockton	09	2015CST			0	0			Flood
		2300CST	The Terrell County Sheriffs office reported water covering the road along U.S. Highway 285 in Pecos County.						

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Brewster County										
6 N Alpine	10	1840CST 2010CST			0	0			Flood	
			Widely scattered thunderstorms developed over southern portions of Pecos County, northern portions of Brewster County, and over eastern portions of Presidio County. Thunderstorms remained nearly stationary during the evening of June 10. The radio station in Alpine reported Texas Highway 1 18 was closed north of the city of Alpine due to flooding.							
TXZ079-081		Presidio Valley - Big Bend Area								
	13	0700CST			0	0			Flood	
	15	1500CST								
		Thunderstorms from June 9-June 12 over southwest Texas and over northern Mexico during the evening of June 12 resulted in significant rises along the Rio Grande near the confluence with the Rio Conchos. The Rio Grande crested almost two feet above bankfull in Presidio. Five miles southeast of Presidio, the river rose one foot above flood stage, producing minor flooding of surrounding areas. Information concerning flooding along the Rio Grande was provided by the International Boundary and Water Commission in Presidio and via river gauge information.								
Presidio County Casa Piedra	17	1530CST 1800CST			0	0			Flood	
Brewster County Castolon	17	1635CST 1900CST			0	0			Flood	
Brewster County 10 NW Study Butte	17	1800CST 2000CST			0	0			Flood	
		Scattered thunderstorms developed over the northern portions of Presidio County, northern Brewster County, and over central portions of Pecos County during the early afternoon of 6/17/00. Strong thunderstorms producing very heavy rainfall moved slowly south across Presidio and Brewster counties during the afternoon. The Presidio County Sheriffs Office reported four feet of water on FM169 at Casa Piedra. Heavy rains also occurred at Cibilo Creek Ranch, just north of the community of Shafter. Officials from the Big Bend National Park reported that roads were closed due to flooding around the community of Castolon. The general public reported that East Corozon Draw, a draw feeding into Terlingua Creek, was running 4 feet deep during the early evening of the 17th. This caused a pickup truck to become stuck in flood waters. The man driving the pickup truck was uninjured during the event. Flood waters receded during the late evening of 6/17/00. Light rain continued across Brewster County overnight.								
		Thunderstorms on June 17 also produced strong thunderstorm winds. These winds produced minor damage in Presidio County in the city of Presidio and also in the community of Redford. Estimated wind speeds were determined to be just below severe thresholds.								
Reeves County 10 E Toyah	18 19	2155CST 0100CST			0	0			Flood	
		The Reeves County Sheriffs office reported water over Farm to Market Road 869.								
Reeves County Pecos	20	2132CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)	
Reeves County Pecos	20	2132CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)	
		Strong to severe thunderstorms developed in Reeves County on the evening of 6/20/00 and then moved into Loving County. While the city of Pecos received the only severe wind gust during the evening, there were several reports of winds in excess of 50 mph, including in the town of Mentone in Loving County and also in Fort Davis in Jeff Davis County.								
Crane County Crane	23	1720CST			0	0	20K		Thunderstorm Wind (G57)	
		A severe thunderstorm produced very strong winds and caused damage across the city of Crane. There were numerous reports of roof damage, carport damage, broken windows, and tree damage. An electric meter was knocked off a house and a water line was broken by a falling tree.								
Dawson County 6 WSW Lamesa	28	1855CST			0	0	450K	150K	Hail (3.00)	
		A supercell thunderstorm moved from the north west portion of Dawson County southeast just west of Lamesa, across the Community of Friendship, and then east of Patricia. Large hail, strong winds, and torrential rains produced widespread crop and property damage across the western half of Dawson County.								

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<u>TEXAS West</u>										
Dawson County Friendship	28	1940CST			0	0			Flood	
	29	0200CST								
Intersection of Farm to Market Roads 829 and 2051 floods due to very heavy rains.										
Dawson County Friendship	28	1940CST			0	0			Hail (1.75)	
Loving County 3 E Mentone	28	2045CST 2300CST			0	0			Flood	
The general public reported water over the road on State Highway 302 east of Mentone.										
Andrews County 5 W Andrews	28	2345CST			0	0			Flood	
	29	0200CST								
A line of slow moving thunderstorms produced flooding for several miles along Texas Highway 176 west of Andrews. Flooding was also reported on Texas Highway 128 with this line of thunderstorms.										